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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following response and amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.